

## MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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At its meeting held May 2, 2006, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"Each year over 190,000 people in the United States are diagnosed with a brain tumor. In 2006, over 40,000 of the new cases diagnosed are expected to be primary brain tumors. Furthermore, brain tumors are the leading cause of solid tumor cancer death in children under the age of 20, and are the third leading cause of cancer death in young adults ages 20 to 39."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried (Supervisor Burke being absent), the Board proclaimed May 1 through 7, 2006 as "Brain Tumor Action Week" throughout Los Angeles County; and urged a renewed commitment to research and taking action at all levels of government and in the general population, to fight against the devastation of brain tumors on our families and communities.

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